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TO:

Minerals File

FROM:

Paul Baker, Reclamation Biologist

RE:

Site Inspection, Quality Building Stone, Inc., Red Cloud Quarry, S/015/083, Emery

County, Utah

Date of Inspection:

September 18, 2001

Time of Inspection:

1:45-2:25 p.m.

Participants:

Paul Baker, DOGM

Conditions:

Mostly clear, 80's

Purpose of the inspection:

There was no specific purpose for the inspection. I was in the area and decided to visit the site.

Getting to the site:

Beginning at SR 10 about 1.5 miles south of the intersection with SR 29 which leads to Orangeville, turn east on a well-maintained county road which crosses the San Rafael Swell to US Highway 6 near Woodside. The turnoff to the quarry is, according to my odometer, 10.9 miles from SR10. At 10.7 miles, there is a fence with a cattle guard. Proceed 0.2 miles beyond the fence to a two-track road that leads south. Follow this road past the two small knolls on the west. Dropping below the rim, there is a sort of amphitheater extending to the west and south. According to the map submitted with the NOI, the quarry will be on the west side of this amphitheater.

Observations:

Tony Gallegos visited the site in January 2000 and took several photographs. I was able to find the areas photographed to confirm the site location. I saw no sign of quarrying activity although there is some disturbance in the area, probably from campers.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

No follow-up is necessary.

jb

cc: Wes Hansen, Quality Building Stone

Will Stokes, SITLA

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